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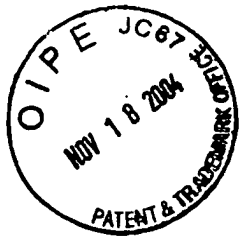
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Patent No.: 6,773,304  
Issued: August 10, 2004  
Application No.: 10/014,384  
Filing Date: November 9, 2001  
Applicants: Christopher J. Conway, et al.  
Title: TAMPER RESISTANT PIN CONNECTION  
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**REQUEST FOR CERTIFICATE OF CORRECTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.322**

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Applicant respectfully requests that the Commissioner issue a Certificate of Correction to correct the following error in the above-referenced patent, all of which occurred due to a mistake on the part of the Patent Office:

**CLAIM 1**

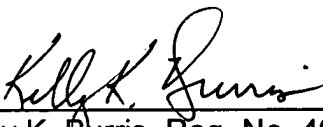
**Column 5, line 47 should be amended to replace "linger" with "finger".**

Applicant submits that the proposed correction does not constitute new matter, nor does it require reexamination. In addition, the error in column 5, line 47 was not present in Claim 1 of the application as originally filed and/or as amended. Thus, Applicant submits that the error occurred due to a mistake on the part of the Patent Office.

Applicant has enclosed Form PTO/SB/44 showing the necessary corrections to the patent. Applicant believes that no fees are owed with this request. If, however, Applicant does owe a fee, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the deficiency or overpayment to Deposit Account No. 08-0750.

Respectfully submitted,

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PATENT NO : US 6,773,304 B2

DATED : August 10, 2004

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It is certified that error appears in the above-identified patent and that said Letters Patent are hereby corrected as shown below:

**CLAIM 1****Column 5, line 47:** replace "linger" with "finger"

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